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SUBJECT: CSCE: CBM'S ILLUSTRATIVE TEXT FOR MANEUVERS MEASUR

FOR EUR/RPM

REF: A. GENEVA 5474; B. GENEVA 5481; C. GENEVA 5152;
D. GENEVA 528; E. GENEVA 5373

1. SUMMARY: DELEGATION TRANSMITS HEREWITH AN ILLUSTRATIVE OPERATIVE TEXT FOR MANUEVERS MEASURE TO WHOW HOW "PACKAGE DEAL" SUGGSTED IN GENEVA 5481 MIGHT BE IMPLEMENTED. EXPLANATORY FOOTNOTES HAVE BEEN ADDED BY DELEGATION TOINDICATE CURRENT STATUS OF PARAGRAPHS IN TEXT. END SUMMARY.

2. BEGIN TEXT:

PRIOR NOTIFICATION OF MAJOR MILITARY MANEUVERS: (TITLE)
--THEY WILL NOTIFY THEIR MAJOR MILITARY MANEUVERS TO ALL OTHER PARTICIPATING STATES THROUGH USUAL DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FOLLOWING PROVISIONS:
(FOOTNOTE 11)

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--NOTIFICATIONIWILL BE GIVEN OF MAJOR MILITARY

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MANEUVERS EXCEEDING A TOTAL OF 25,000 TROOPS,
INCLUDING AMPHIBIOUS OR AIRBORNE TROOPS, INDEPENDENTLY
OR COMBINED WITH ANY POSSIBLE AIR OR NAVAL COMPOMENTS. (FOOTNOTE2)

--IN THE CASE OF COMBINED MANEUVERS WHICH DO NOT
EXCEED TH ABOVE TOTAL BUT WHICH INVOLVE SIGNIFICANT
NUMBERS OF AMPHIBIOUS OR AIRBORNE TROOPS, SINGLY
OR COMBINED, NOTIFICATION WILL BE GIVEN WHEN THE
PARTICIPATING STATE CONDUCTING THE MANEUVER
CONSIDERS THAT NOTIFICATION WOULD BE IN THE
INTEREST OF CONFIDENCE-BUILDING. FOOTNOTE 3)

--NOTIFICATION WILL BE GIVEN OF MAJOR MILITARY MANEUVERS
WHICH TAKE PLACE ON THE TERRITORY, IN EUROPE, OF ANY
PARTICIPATING STATES AS WELL AS, IF APPLICABLE, IN THE
ADJOINING SEA AREA AND AIR SPACE. (FOOTNOTE 4)

--IN THE CASE OF A PARTICIPATING STATE WHOSE TERRITORY
TEXTENDS BEYOND EUROPE, PRIOR NOTIFICATION NEED BE
GIVEN ONLY OF MANEUVERS WHICH TAKE PLACE (IN EUROPE)
WITHIN 250 KILOMETERS FROM ITS NEAREST FRONTIER
FACING OR SHARED WITH ANY OTHER EUROPEAN PARTICIPATING
STATE. (FOOTNOTE5)

--IN TH CASE OF A PARTICIPATING STATE HAVING FRONTIERS
WITH A NON-PARTICIPATING STATE OR STATES, NOTIFICATION
NED NOT BE GIVEN CLOSE TO THOSE FRONTIERS. (FOOTNOTE 6)

--NOTIFICATION WILL BE GIVEN 21 DAYS OR MORE IN
ADVANCE OF THE START OF THE MANEUVER OR IN THE
CASE OF A MANEUVER ARRANGED AT SHORTER NOTICE
AT THE EARLIEST POSSIBLE OPPORTUNITY PRIOR TO ITS
STARTING DATE. (FOOTNOTE 7)

--NOTIFICATION WILL CONTAIN INFORMATION ON THE
DESIGNATION, IF ANY, THE GENERAL PURPOSE OF AND THE
STATES INVOLVED, IN THE MANUVER, THE TYPE OR TYPES AND THE
NUMERICAL STRENGTH OF THE FORCES ENGAGED, AND THE
AREA AND ESTIMATED TIME FRAME OF ITS CONDUCT. THE
PARTICIPATING STATES WILL ALSO, IF POSSIBLE, PROVIDE
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ADDITIONAL RELEVANT INFORMATION, PARTICULARLY
THAT RELATED TO THE COMPONENTS OF THE FORCES
ENGAGED AND THE PERIOD OF INVOLVEMENT OF THESE
FORCES. (FOOTNOTE 8)

--PRIOR NOTIFICATION OF OTHER MILITARY MANEUVERS (TITLE)
(FOOTNOTE 9) END TEXT.

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FOOTNOTE 1: GENERALLY AGREED IN SUBCOMMITTEE

FOOTNOTE 2: TEXT GIVEN IN REF C WOULD BE REDUCED TO ONE
SENTENCE, IF AUTHORITY REQUESTEDIN REFS A AND B
IS RECEIVED AND IT BECOMES NCESSARY TO USE IT. OTHERWISE TEXT
WOULD REMAIN AS IN REF C.

FOOTNOT 3: THIS TEXT IS PRODUCT OF JOINT DRAFTING
SESSION ON JULY 13 INVOLVING UK, CANADA, FRG,
NORWEGIAN AND US REPS, AND REPRESENTS ATTEMPT
TO FIND
SUBSTITUTE FOR TURKISH PROPOSAL
IN REF D THAT SOVIETS MIGHT BE ABLE TO
ACCEPT. ALLIED REPS BELIEVE PLACEMENT IN
IN THIS SECTION, RATHER THAN UNDER " OTHER MILITARY
MANEUVERS" WOULD MAKE TEXT MORE OPTICALLY
SATISFACTORY TO TURKS. TURKISH REP WAS SUB-
SEQUENTLY ADVISED AND IS REFERRING SUGGESTION TO ANKARA SOVIETS
WERE APPROACHED ON JLY 14, AND ARE REFLECTING AFTER INITIAL NEGATIVE
REACTION.

FOOTNOTE 4: GENERALLY AGREED, EXCEPT FOR THE PLACEMENT OF
THE WORDS "IN EUROPE".

FOOTNOTE 5: GENERALLY AGREED, EXCEPT BY TURKEY. WORDS
"IN EUROPE" WERE PLACED IN BRACKETS BY GREEK AND CYPRIOT REPS,
PENDING
TURKISH ACCEPTANCE OF SENTENCE AND UNDERSTANDING THAT TEXT WOULD
APPLY IN ANATOLIA. MOST WOULD PREFER TO DROP THESE WORDS.

FOOTNOT 6: TEXT HAS NOT YET BEEN FORMALLY INTRODUCED
IN SUBCOMMITTEE, BUT IT APPEARS THAT ALL BUT TURKEY COULD
AGREE TO THIS SUBSTITUTION FOR TURKISH EXCEPTION
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FOOTNOTE 7: GENERALLY AGREED.

FOOTNOTE 8: NW TEXT WHICH WAS GENERALLY AGREED IN SUB-
COMMITTEE ON JULY 13. USE OF WORD "COMPONENTS"
IN LAST SENTENCE IS INTENDED TO APPLY TO
AMPHIBIOUS AND AIRBORNE ELEMENTS OF COMBINED
MANEUVERS, AND THUS TO HELP MEET TURKISH
PROBLEM. TURKS WOULD PREFER TO HAVE
"DATE OF THEIR INVOLVEMENT", AT THE END OF THE LAST SENTENCE,SO
AS TO COVER COMPONENTS, BUT OTHER ALLIES TOLD TURKS THAT PRESENT
TEXT IS A SUBSTANTIAL ATTAINMENT BY ALLIES AND URGED TURKEY NOT
TO REOPEN TEXT.

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FOOTNOTE 9: TEXT OF THIS SECTION REMAINS AS GIVEN IN REF. E. ABRAMS

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